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TEN CENTS A WEEK.

CRIMINAL COURT OVER

ADJOURNED SATURDAY AFTER-
NOON AFTER A WEEK'S SESSION

LIQUOR SELLERS SENTENCED

They Get One Year In Prison With
No Alternative

Friday the last cases on the docket not previously disposed of were brought to trial. Most of these were petty cases, some of which were continued and one noll prossed on payment of costs.

During the sitting of this session, there were thirteen convictions and nine acquittals. During the October term, but prior to this sitting of the court, there had been nine pleas of guilty entered and sentence passed.

The thirteen cases convicted during this session and the fine or sentence imposed on each were as follows: Whisman, Bully Pinkney, Jno. Charley Boiser, Israel Rice, charged with selling liquor without license, sentenced to one year in prison, no fine alternative. Jas. Neal, convicted of the same offense, sentenced to pay fine of \$350.00. Jno. Gaudin and Charlie Mathis (alias Chas. Murray) were both convicted of a charge of entering a building with intent to commit a misdemeanor. The first was sentenced to three years in the State prison, and the second to two years in the State prison. Sam Hunter was twice convicted of the charge of petit larceny and for the first offense was sentenced to three months in the county prison and for the second offense, four months in the county prison. Jas. Foster, convicted of aggravated assault, was fined \$100 and costs, or six months in prison, and he paid his fine. Thomas, for assault and battery, was fined \$15 and costs, or sixty days in jail.

If we should make a summary of the cases and what the county will receive from the hire of those sentenced to prison at this term, the amount would be more than three thousand dollars. But while citizens of the county will be glad to note that the criminal court is not only maintaining but really a profit, this is not the chief reason for its existence. The results thus far in the way of convictions and sentences are worth more than any money contribution to Suwannee county because of the effect it will have in checking crime. For this more than any other reason, we should be proud of the work of the Criminal Court of Suwannee.

TWO FLORIDA LIFE SAVERS

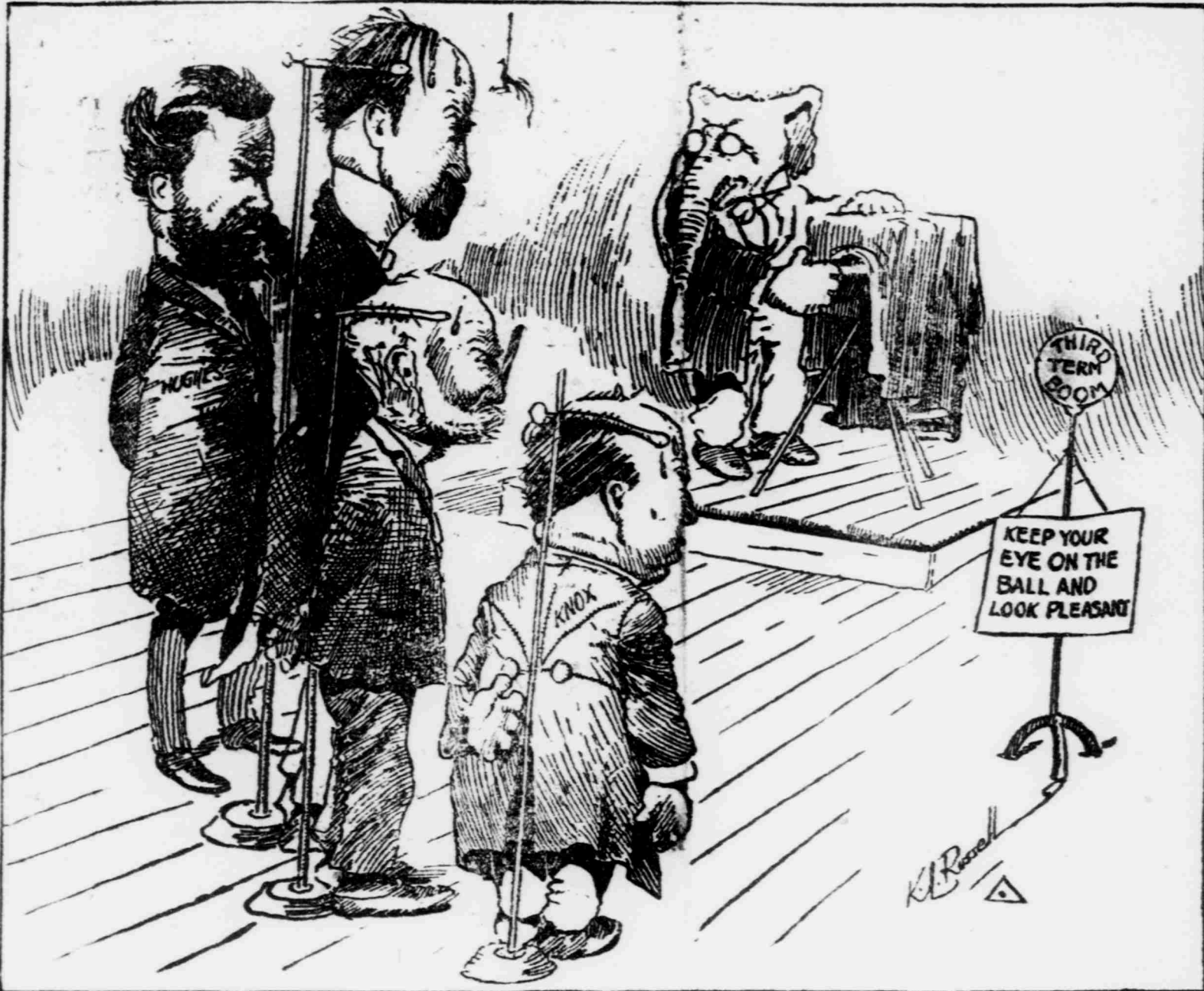
For the Andrew Carnegie Hero Medal
Pensacola, Fla., Oct. 19.—The Carnegie hero committee tonight awarded medals to 34 persons for bravery. These include:

John Harris, lifeguard, Pensacola, Fla., for saving a child and \$500 for educational purposes for saving Bernard Brown from drowning in Pensacola Bay.

John E. Hill, coast guard thirty-eight, (also saved a negro who had been thrown overboard), bronze medal and \$500 to reimburse him on account of loss sustained by being injured. Hill saved several persons from a runaway while recovering from an operation, being injured.

John E. Hill, 22, Santa Rosa, Fla., bronze medal for saving three from drowning in Pensacola Bay.

A TRYING ORDEAL.



—Russell in Washington Post.

THE BEAR HUNT OVER

And President Prepares for Return
to Washington.

Stamboul, La., Oct. 19.—With the close of the day the President terminated his fourteen-day hunt on Bear Lake and Texas Bayou. That the last day was one of unabated activity on his part is certain, but what the result was not known at 6 o'clock, as no messenger leaving the camp after the close of the day's sport had reached the telegraph station.

The weather was excellent, as it has been throughout the week, and the party started out in the early morning in high spirits and in anticipation of a fine day in which to close the fortnight of sport.

The President will reach Mr. Shields' home during the forenoon tomorrow and will meet a number of Mr. Shields' friends at dinner. A special train will take the President and party at 10 o'clock Monday. After a stay of four hours at Vicksburg, the President will board the Pennsylvania Railroad train which carried him from Washington to Keokuk and return to Washington aboard it.

BIG GUN FOR TAMPA FAIR

Governor Smith, of Georgia, Will
Make Speech There Feb. 12.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 18.—Governor Hoke Smith this morning accepted the invitation extended to him by Col. J. L. Brown, of Tampa, to make an address at the State Fair at Tampa, February 12, and to address the Immigration Convention at Tampa Feb. 13. He will be accompanied by his staff.

NOTED GEORGIA EDITOR'S LUCK.

John Temple Graves Called to Editor-
ship of Hearst's Leading
Paper.

Atlanta, Oct. 19.—John Temple Graves, editor of the Atlanta Georgian and News, one of the most gifted journalists in the South and orator and lecturer of national renown, today accepted the chief editorship of Hearst's New York American at a salary understood to be \$15,000 a year. He assumes his new duties about November 15.

The Library and the Ladies' Club.

Saturday afternoon a representative of the Democrat had a telephone invitation to visit the reading room in the Library and rest rooms the ladies have fitted up just in front of the Brown House.

There was a surprise in store, for we are quite sure that any one who has not visited the room has no idea just how cosy and comfortable it has been made. The walls are papered with a very artistic design of paper in a dark green, the best shade for a reading room. Library tables with a full complement of comfortable chairs and bookcases already being rapidly filled with choice books, make up the furniture of the room. But the ladies have not stopped at these. Ferns and pot-plants have been placed on the small tables and stands and placed, as ladies only can, where the very best effect is given the room.

To any one who cares for reading, there could be no more comfortable or inviting place than the library. For the present the Woman's Club will hold their meetings there, which will be on alternate Saturdays. They are discussing plans for having the library opened to the public two afternoons each week. It has not been decided as yet just what afternoons this will be or just when the plan will be put in effect, but it will be done soon.

Quite a good start has been made in the collection of books, but this work is one that never stops in a public library, so if any one has books or magazines to offer the library they will confer a great favor by sending them in to Mrs. Farrell, president of the Woman's Club, or to the Library Association.

The Woman's Club and the Library Association are working together in this movement and their efforts will result in much good.

JAY GOULD DAUGHTER

Divorced From Boni Will Marry
Again.

Paris, Oct. 19.—It is announced that Mme. Anna Gould, formerly the Countess De Castellane, will wed the Prince of Sagon within a few days.

A FLORIDA DOCTOR

Behind the Bars In East St. Louis
for Too Much Affinity.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 19.—Dr. Herman Perkins, aged 32, a surgeon from Paxton, Fla., is behind the bars in East St. Louis. He says he loves his affinity more in a minute than he does his wife in a year. The affinity happens to be his wife's 15-year-old sister, Leta Treech, daughter of Judge F. W. Treech, of East St. Louis.

The warrant had been issued at the request of Judge Treech, who intercepted a letter from Dr. Perkins to Leta.

Leta Treech, the affinity, although she is a school girl in short dresses, has assumed a defiant attitude toward Mrs. Perkins and her parents. She declares that she will marry Dr. Perkins in spite of all obstacles.

"I've got your husband under my thumb," she told her sister, "and you can't help yourself."

BRYAN IN ATLANTA

Won't Talk About His Candidacy—
Discusses Paramount Issue.

Atlanta, Oct. 19.—William Jennings Bryan was today given the greatest reception that he has yet had on the occasion of any visit to Georgia. He is the personal guest of Capt. William C. Raoul during his stay in the city, though he is really the guest of the city and of the State.

After breakfast at the home of Capt. Raoul this morning he received a few informal callers and shortly after 10 o'clock was driven to the Governor's mansion, where an informal reception was tendered him, at which he met the State House officers and a number of prominent Georgians from various sections of the State.

Mr. Bryan declined to discuss the Democratic nomination when asked for an interview.

"I must decline to discuss personal politics," he said smilingly. When asked who, in his opinion, would be the Republican nominee for President, he said: "That would be pure speculation, and I am not a speculator."

Asked as to who he regarded as

STATE TROOPS IN CAMP

ALTHOUGH SUNDAY, THE DAY
WAS A BUSY ONE

VARIOUS COMPANIES INSPECTED

Programs Being Mapped Out for
Work to Follow

Pensacola, Oct. 20.—Although the day was Sunday, the members of the Florida State Troops, in camp with the regulars at Forts Pickens and McRae, did not spend an idle day, but were given a taste of the work which is to follow for the next ten days, when some of the militiamen will do the hardest service they have ever experienced in military work. This morning at 9 o'clock the troops were mustered by regular army officers who made their first inspection of the various companies. There was then a rest until 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, when there was a military inspection, followed by a long and detailed explanation of the various batteries, stations, material, etc. Following this, a couple of hours were spent by artillerymen in escorting the Florida militiamen on an inspection of the grounds and waterfront to be defended against attacks, the location of guards, etc. This was not completed until almost time for the mess at 6 o'clock. Tomorrow's program mapped out is as follows: 8:30 to 10 a. m., instruction of State troops in the nomenclature and use of armament instruments, etc.; 11 to 11:30 a. m., lecture by Lieut. Fred W. Heinriche, Jr., of the coast artillery, on the use of instruments in primary stations; 2:30 to 4 p. m., drills at guns and position finding stations by regulars, with the state troops looking on. First half hour battery drill, second half hour fire command drill, and last half hour battle command drill.

NOW HUNTING A JOB

Is Sylvester Small, Deposed Presi-
dent of Telegraphers' Union.

Chicago, Oct. 19.—Sylvester J. Small, suspended president of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union, tonight announced his retirement from office and from the union. He said: "I am down and out and will not make any further attempt to recover my position. I will look for a job next week."

the logical candidate of the Republican party, he said: "Logic is not a quality which enters into the calculations of the Republican leaders when determining such matters."

When asked his view as to the paramount issue in the next campaign, he said: "That is difficult to say. If you talk with Democrats in various parts of the country you will find that all agree as to how the Democratic party should stand on various questions, but they differ as to the relative importance of these issues. Some emphasize one and others another. Fortunately there is one overshadowing issue that runs through all of the questions under discussion, and that is whether the government shall be administered by the whole people in their own interests or by the great corporate interests in behalf of a comparatively small portion of the population. This fundamental issue lies at the bottom of the tariff question, the trust question, the railroad question, the labor question, the question of imperialism and is also a part of the question recently raised as to the sphere of the nation and the sphere of the state."